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Local News

Miss Helen Willis is on holiday from
the post office and expects to make
a trip to Winnipeg.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance of Spokane,
Washington were visitors for the past
few days at the home of Mrs. Vance's
brother, C. C. Stafford.

J. Whitelaw of Calgary has been ap-
pointed on the teaching staff of the
local school to take the place of Mr.
R. T. Dick.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hesketh are spending
a few days holiday this week on a
motor trip in the mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Jones of Victo-
ria, B. C. are visiting with relatives
and friends in the district.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hehr and Mr. and
Mrs. P. Riether spent last week-end
at Banff.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rowat have
moved to the house recently vacated
by Mr. and Mrs. Lee Noble.

Don't forget the Girls Garden Club
Achievement Day to be held in the
Curling Rink on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hehr have as
their guests, the latter's sister and her
husband Mr. and Mrs. Fred Riether
of Victoria, B. C.

School Days will soon be here again
and all schools in the district will
open for the fall term on Wednesday,
September 1st.

The total length of the Alaska high-
way from Dawson Creek to Fairbanks
is 1,523 miles; 1,221 in Canada and 302
in Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bannister and
Neil left on Monday for a few days
motor tour around Spokane and points
south.

A. D. Stevens of Steve's Grocery is
having an addition built to the rear
of his store which will give him more
than double floor space as he has at pres-
ent.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hurt have as
their guests the former's mother, Mrs.
Hurt of Okotoks.

Donald Ryan now a full fledged
driller with Imperial Oil near Jasper
is spending a few days holiday at
the home of his parents.

Frank Collicott of Calgary was a
business visitor in town on Monday
of this week.

E. Stafford of Tacoma, Wash-
ington spent a few days in town
visiting at the home of his uncle, C.
C. Stafford and are now enroute for
Wainwright to spend a holiday with
his father Mr. Asbury Stafford.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Beebridge have
purchased the Asmusen house in town
and will move in as soon as valated
by Mrs. Asmusen who is moving to
Calgary.

Competition in the pool fish derby
is still wide open. The largest trout
caught to date being one of 3 pounds.
7 ounces caught by Harry Fenwick
next in line being Blake Shillings with
one of three pounds 1 ounce. This
competition is open to any member of
the Crossfield Fish and Game Associa-
tion and several good prizes are up for
the winners.

Now that the elections are over we
are reminded of a quotation credited to
a once famous philosopher who said
"I divide people into three classes —
the few who make things happen, the
many who watch things happen, and the
overwhelming majority who have no
idea what happens."

Ten men five of them South Africans
will receive a total of \$80,000 free of
tax for the invention of the flat tank
which was used during the war to
clear minefields. Granting of this sum
has just been recommended by the
Royal Commission on Awards.

Jackie Lee will accompany brother
Ray to Vancouver for the school open-
ing next week and will attend a pri-
vate school there for the next year.

The attendance at the Canadian Leg-
ion meeting held last Thursday even-
ing was only fair due to the heavy
rain which fell that evening. It is
intended to call another meeting in
the near future and it is hoped that
more members will be able to attend.

The count of the second-choice votes
on the ballots cast for W. King in the
recent election found most of them
marked only once. Of those marked
with a second choice Mr. A. Wray
had the larger number and will be
duly declared elected.

Mrs. Ed Fraser is visiting at the
home of her daughter and family at
Forrestburg.

Ken O'Neill received the very nice
price of 25 cents per pound for some
choice steers last week. J. G. Harrison
wrote a cheque for \$6,000 for the
14 head.

A start is being made on the har-
vesting this week with some swathing
done and the first picking up done
today. Reports of last weeks hail da-
mage are still coming in and several
farmers just east of town have noth-
ing left to harvest. They were hailed
100 per cent.

CEMETERY FUND
The appeal of the Village Council for
the maintenance of the cemetery has
been fairly well responded to but there
are still a large number of people who
should subscribe.

The following have each donated the
sum of ten dollars.
W. A. Hurt, E. Bills, W. W. Stafford,
A. D. Stevens, W. Laut, C. C. Stafford,
J. A. Copley, Mrs. E. Stauffer, F. Laut,
W. G. Landymore, F. Becker, Mrs. W.
Thompson, F. Landymore, J. H. Havens,
J. Russell, J. H. Hehr,
J. H. Wigle, G. O'Neill, A. P. Stafford,
A. Michael, R. Amery, Caldwell Bros.,
J. Verkull, K. O'Neill, L. Ableman, G.
Pavia, R. McCool, C. Christiansen, J.
Low and C. A. Havens.

Five dollars each has been received
from J. Heine, G. Nichol and Glen
McNicol.

The power mower has been bought
and the balance of the fund will be
held in the cemetery account.

DECORATION DAY

A good crowd gathered at the local
cemetery on Sunday last for the an-
nual Decoration Day service. Rev. C.
H. Anderson conducted a short ser-
vice and the members of the Re-beleghs
and Oddfellows placed flowers on all
the graves while the Canadian Legion
members laid a poppy on the grave
of all ex-service men. The efforts of
the workers of the bar by the Odd-
fellows recently showed up to good
advantage and comments of apprecia-
tion of the neat appearance of the
place was heard on all sides.

COYOTE BOUNTY ON

The latest edition of the Alberta
Gazette states that a bounty of \$5.00
will be paid for every coyote including pups
taken during the period April 1st, 1948
to March 31st, 1949. Both cars must
be intact on all coyote pelts on which
the bounty is claimed. Applications for
the bounty must be made to the R. C.
M. Police or to a J. P.

Another block of cement sidewalk
is being laid this week continuing west
on Hammond Street to the corner of
the Doctor's house.

Mrs. Annie Smyth was receiving the
congratulations of her friends on Sat-
urday last on the occasion of her 88th
birthday.

GRADE NINE RESULTS

The Departmental High School en-
trance Examination Board have award-
ed marks to the following — Edna
Jensen, Marion Sughal, Charles Smith,
J. H. Margery Banta and Gordon
Mudoch, an A; Ralph Bills, Roy
Hoover and Lawrence Lilley, a B; and
Bruce Wood a C.

ACHIEVEMENT DAY

The Crossfield Happy Gang Garden
Club met at the home of Mrs. E. Mc-
Clung on Monday, August 23rd.
The chief topic of discussion was the
Achievement Day to be held on Mon-
day, August 30th in the Crossfield
Curling Rink. There is to be exhibits
of the products of the girls gardens
and of the canning project, together
with a large display of flowers. A
short program to start at 2:30 p.m. is
also planned and the girls will hold
a tea to which everyone is invited.
At the close of the meeting Mrs. Mc-
Clung served a lovely lunch.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Henry Bilyard, 30, of Vancouver, said he wants to sell one of his eyes for \$1,500. So far he has had no offers.

Wall paintings dating back to the 14th century were found in St. Mary's Church at Tar Crawford, Dorset, England.

OTTAWA.—Fred James, 65, chief press officer for the Dominion agricultural department for the last 15 years, has retired.

"Offence Defence" and an erect sword in front of a portcullis are the new motto and badge of R.A.F. fighter command.

Twenty crates of milk flooded the garden of a house in Hackbridge, Surrey, England, when a horse pulling a milk cart bolted.

For the first time in the fisheries history of British Columbia, tuna are being tagged with a view to learning more of the species.

Two men held up a service station attendant at Fort Worth, Tex., and escaped with \$89 after ringing up a "no sale" on the cash register.

Heavy anti-aircraft guns used during the war are being dismantled on Wimbledon Common, southwest London, so that food may be grown.

Arlene Gibson, 23, of Lincoln, Neb., was fined \$100 and sentenced to 30 days in jail for petty larceny. She stole jewelry and wore it to a policeman's ball.

British Lawmakers Dislike Beaver Meat

THE PAS, Man.—It boils down more or less to a matter of taste. But you could hardly blame Eddie Hong, Chinese chef at this far north Manitoba town, for becoming picky at the attitude of certain British M.P.'s. Eddie is the man who first whipped up a tantalizing dish called Beavertail Soup.

The dish appeared unexpectedly on the House of Commons menu and the lawmakers don't go for it. A British legislator wanted to know why foods like beaver meat are tried out on members of parliament. He figured it may have been all right for Canadian fur traders, but he wanted to know why the government tried to make M.P.'s eat it.

Says Eddie of his specialty: "Very good."

Of course, he's prejudiced—he invented it. But then, it was a howling success at last year's trappers' festival here when it was first introduced.

It's considered a big delicacy in the north. Trappers say it's tasty, nourishing and has a flavor similar to pork and goose, mixed. The meat is rich and dark.

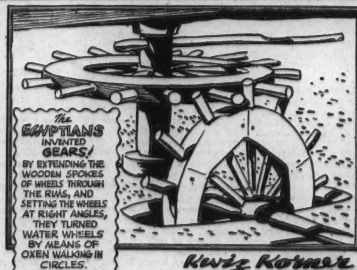
Here's the recipe: One beaver tail, salt, lemon juice and cinnamon. Hold the beaver tail in the flame until the skin blisters. Remove the tail from the flames, and cover it with well-salted water. Cook below boiling point for one hour. Strain the broth and flavor to taste with lemon juice and cinnamon.

It may be thickened with potatoes or any of the usual thickening. Mmm, good!

The city of Smyrna, second city of Asia Minor and second seaport of the Ottoman empire, is laid out partly on level land and partly on the slopes of Mount Pagus.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By WILLIAM FERGUSON



The Egyptians Invented Gears

BY EXTENDING THE WOODEN SPOKES OF WHEELS THROUGH THE SHAFTS AND SETTING THE WHEELS AT RIGHT ANGLES, THEY TURNED WATER WHEELS BY MEANS OF OXEN WALKING IN CIRCLES.

THE NORWEGIAN BEAVER HAS NO TAIL

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ANSWER: Rummale



Britain Fears Potato Bugs From Continent

Many thousands of acres of potato-growing farm land on the South and East coast of England are now the scene of another "invasion" battle, as they were in the wartime days. This time however, the invader is the Colorado potato beetle, common in Canada, which is the worst threat to Britain's potato crops in ten years. Spraying and searching for the pest is being intensified in areas where the beetle has been found recently, and a small army of farmers, officials, watchers and searchers are engaged in an all-out effort to beat the Continental threat to the crops.

Upper left: Searching potato fields for the Colorado beetle on a farm near Rochester, Kent. The area is the scene of an intensive spraying operation.

Above: A duster-sprayer at work in a potato field on a farm near Rochester. There are four of these sprayers at work in this area, and they are using 50 tons of DDT per week.

Inset: This is the enemy against whom the fight is being waged. Samples of the Colorado beetle are taken in containers by the mobile "army" which is covering a large area of Kent as a precaution against the pest.

Lower left: A government official, in charge of anti-beetle operations in a large area of Kent surveys potato-growing land on which he and his assistants are about to act against the beetle.

Summer Insects Hold Greater Terrors Than Blizzards For Men In Yukon

WHITEHORSE, Yukon Territory.—Summer insects hold greater terrors than winter blizzards for the men who roam the trails of the Yukon.

A man on the tramp in the Yukon during the summer months carries plenty of matches and netting with him. He "dopes" his skin with special preparations. If he stops for a meal or a rest, he builds a circle of "amudge" and sits in the middle. There is many a tale of men frozen to death in the Yukon snow, but for sheer horror they cannot rival the stories told here of prospectors lost in the hills and unable to protect themselves from the swarms of mosquitoes and black flies. One search party last summer found a missing man sitting on a tree stump, crying softly.

Clouds of black flies, an insect usually no bigger than the head of a pin, have been reported reaching from ground level to a height of 20,000 feet, resembling the "tunnel" of a tornado.

...curses interfering with everyday life in the north, these insects present a problem for military authorities, who since 1942 have been studying the operating efficiency of military forces in the sub-Arctic regions. So far, these experiments have had to do mostly with cold, but now the Canadian defense research board is turning its attention to bugs.

Eight field parties are spending the summer in the north this year, under the auspices of the defense research board. In addition, laboratory investigations will be carried out at Fort Churchill, Manitoba.

It is hoped to compile complete information on many types of mosquitoes, black flies and deer flies, and to investigate control methods. The parties will fan out across the north.

from the river delta, Southampton Island, Goose Bay, Ungava Bay, and Frobisher Bay. The parties are being taken in by air, and will continue their experiments until the end of the Arctic summer, late in August.

Their job will be to collect insects, observe breeding and netting habits, note the effect of weather and vegetation, and compile 24-hour time-tables of insect activities. Various repellents and control methods will be investigated and a new pest-proof suit will be tried out.

Last year, a check at Fort Churchill identified 10 biting types and various non-biting types of mosquitoes, 15 species of black flies and nine or 10 deer fly types. It was stated that the pests appear in round-the-clock shifts.

Most fertile breeding grounds are said to be in the barren lands, where spraying methods are described as ineffective because new hordes of insects move in as soon as an area is cleared.

One project envisages spraying snow with insecticide, designed to kill insects when the thaw comes.

The research teams also will conduct experiments to see whether it is possible to create artificial immunity to insect poisons in humans. Members of parties, many of them students or faculty members of Canadian universities, will be insured with various preparations and will expose themselves to insect bites.

DENMARK HAS NEWEST COMPOUND FOR COOKS

LONDON—A new ration-free compound which can take the place of four ingredients—fat, sugar, eggs and milk—in cooking is being sold in London stores at half a crown (60 cents) a pound. It is being imported from Denmark. A ministry of food official said: "It looks like white fudge—in fact, you can eat it as that if you wish. 'Cakes and biscuits can be made just by adding water, heating it up and sifting in the flour.'"

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LITTLE REGGIE

HALL OF DINOSAURS



PRISCILLA'S POP—That's Better



—By Al Vormeier

Health LEAGUE presents TOPICS OF CANADA VITAL INTEREST

FIND EFFECTIVE TREATMENT FOR UNULFANT FEVER

Investigations carried out over a 10-year period in the laboratories and clinics of the University of Minnesota Hospitals indicate that combined treatment with streptomycin and sulfadiazine is more effective against human brucellosis (undulant fever) than any other known therapy.

Writing in a recent issue of the Journal of the American Medical Association, four physicians report the cases of more than 30 patients with active brucellosis whom they studied and observed, and whose treatment they directed. The doctors are Wesley W. Spink, M.D., Wendell H. Hall, M.D., James M. Shaffer, M.D., and Abraham L. Braude, M.D., of the Division of Internal Medicine, University of Minnesota Hospitals and Medical School, Minneapolis.

Exceeded in importance by only three other communicable diseases—tuberculosis, syphilis and gonorrhea—undulant fever has baffled medical men for many years. The Brucella organism is transmitted to humans by contact with diseased hogs, goats or cows, or by drinking unpasteurized milk. The forms which the disease takes are extremely variable, and even after apparent recovery the Brucella organism may remain in the patient's tissues. Relapses and recurrence of symptoms have therefore been common.

The four doctors report that in both acute and chronic brucellosis cases, a sulfadiazine-streptomycin combination brought the most satisfactory results. Also, patients whose symptoms pointed to brucellosis as the most probable diagnosis responded well to the combined therapy, although the presence of Brucella organisms in their tissue or body fluids had not been proved. The treatment



B.C. GIRL AS QUEEN—Holkaying in Wales, Elizabeth Reese, of Kelowna, B.C., was surprised to find she had been chosen unanimously as queen of the Wy Valley British Legion carnival. Blonde and 16, she has spent most of her life on a B.C. fruit farm.

LANGUAGE NO BARRIER IN LAUNDRY BUSINESS

GALT, Ont.—Tom Jack Tung, Chinese, can't speak, read or write English, but he's been conducting a laundry business here for 16 years. Tung tags his laundry bundles with such descriptions of his customers as "tall man with hooked nose, little dark fat man, slim girl with glasses, man with one front tooth missing."

also was effective in cases with serious complications of brucellosis.

It had been attempted previously to treat the disease with sulfonamide and streptomycin, separately, but without success. Only simultaneous treatment with both showed satisfactory results.

Weekly Tip

LITTLE DROPS OF PAINT
Use turpentine immediately to remove all paint stains from clothes. On cement floors or walls use a strong solution of washing soda in water and scrape off.

X-X OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE X-X

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Answer To Last Week's Puzzle



Elevators Now Issuing Wheat Storage Tickets

WINNIPEG.—A Canadian wheat board announcement said pending publication of fixed minimum prices for the 1948-49 season, producers desiring to deliver wheat will be required to take storage tickets from the elevator company covering such deliveries.

These tickets are to be surrendered and cash settlement made therefor by the elevator companies as soon as 1948-49 prices are available.

The announcement added no storage charges or interest on advances should be charged to producers in respect to such deliveries, the board being prepared to make arrangements to adjust charges with elevator companies.

Producers who carry over wheat held on outstanding storage tickets July 31 will be required to pay any storage or interest which may accrue on such grain up to the date on which the grain is sold.

NEW ZEALANDERS ARE ANYTHING BUT FORMAL

KAIKOHE, N.Z.—New Zealanders are great believers in equality and generally address everyone, irrespective of rank or position, by their Christian names. Miss Mabel Howard, minister of health and only woman cabinet minister, said recently: "I'm Mabel to everyone. Nobody even thinks of calling me minister or Miss Howard."

STAMP CORNER

By JAMES MONTAGNE



Russia has issued a series to the 50th anniversary of the death of landscape painter Shishkin (top left). Bulgaria has issued a new airmail commemorative (top center). Austria has issued a set to the 80th anniversary of its national art gallery (top right). Norway has honored Axel Heiberg and the Norwegian Forestry Association with a commemorative stamp on the 50th anniversary of its founding (lower left). Sweden has issued a new stamp to King Gustav on his 80th birthday (lower center). Morocco has released new airmail stamps with surcharge for post-office employees (lower right).

Marshal Tito, who is in the news these days as differing with the Communist Information Bureau on communist policies in Yugoslavia, of which republic he is dictator, has appeared on several issues of Yugoslav stamps. Issues of the Yugoslav Republic started in 1945, and first stamps featured Marshal Tito, leader of the guerrilla forces who hampered the Germans during their occupation of the country.

As a stamp issuing country, Yugoslavia is not old, having started issuing stamps in 1918, when it was formed from parts of the old Austro-Hungarian Empire. Austrian and Hungarian stamps were at first overprinted for various former Austrian provinces, and when these areas united into a kingdom in 1918 a set appeared for the new country. In 1919 King Peter I appeared on stamp issues, and in 1921 stamps featuring his son Alexander, who succeeded him on the throne, were issued.

When Alexander was assassinated in Paris in 1934 the latest set featuring him was reprinted as a mourning issue with a black border. A commemorative set on the first anniversary of his death appeared in 1935.

Boy King Peter II appeared on stamps of 1935, followed by a stamp year. Born at Savannah, Georgia, in 1888, she married William Low, an Englishman, and lived in England for some years, when she became acquainted with the Girl Guides organization. On returning to Savannah in 1912 she started a similar movement in the United States, the Girl Scouts. She died in 1927.

New issues . . . United States is to issue stamp on 85th anniversary of Lincoln's Gettysburg Address, and one to the 200th anniversary of founding of Alexandria, Virginia. Canal Zone is to issue commemorative stamps next month to Americans who were among early administrators of area . . . France has issued stamps to Free French war hero General Jacques Leclerc, and to author Francois Chateaubriand on centenary of his death . . . Tokelau Islands is new stamp territory, under to scientist Nikola Tesla, on his 80th birthday. First pictorial stamps were issued in 1937, as was a set to mark a treaty between Yugoslavia, Greece, Turkey and Romania. In 1939 an-



ARMYEN GOT AWAY FROM CANADA—Pilot of the B-17 forced to land near Halifax which took off, ostensibly for Boston but landed in the Azores, is Capt. Irvin R. Schindler, right. Others are crewmen. One of

SHORTAGE OF STEEL AFFECTS ALBERTANS

EDMONTON.—Steel shortages are expected to prevent as many as 1,000 Albertans in the Red Deer, Camrose, Wetaskiwin and Edmonton areas from being connected to natural-gas mains this year.

Northwestern Utilities announced that pipe was unavailable to service 25 per cent. of the 4,000 who had applied for natural gas fuel this year.

The King's Physician Gives Ideas On Cancer

Thinks Control May Come Before Cause Is Known

OTTAWA.—Medical science will "quite possibly" get cancer under control before the cause of the disease is known, Lord Horder, physician in ordinary to the King and one of Britain's leading cancer authorities, said at a press conference.

"After all, smallpox is under control although no one has ever succeeded in isolating the virus that causes it," continued the British physician, vice-chairman of the Empire Cancer Campaign and chairman of its scientific committee.

"You're probably aware that there is one organ of the body in which cancer has been controlled," he said. "In the prostate gland cancer can not only be arrested but retrogression can take place as the result of medicine which can be taken by mouth."

Lord Horder suggested that the medicine, which he did not name, stimulated the prostate gland to overcome the cancer and said it seemed quite possible that some other medicine might affect cancer of the stomach in the same way.

Health department officials said later he was referring to a new drug called stilboestrol.

"We should take a long view," he added. "We are not going to get cancer under control in the next five years—probably."

Lord Horder said cancers are being cured today "which even five years ago would have been subject to drastic surgery."

Lord Horder was warm in his praise of Canadian work in the cancer field, especially in the use of radio therapy. It was generally admitted that more progress in the use of radiology had been made in Britain than in the United States, but that he had wondered if Canada was not as far ahead as Britain.

NEW YORK MAN FINDS THOUSAND DOLLAR BILL

NEW YORK.—A 60-year-old engraver, Nicholas Panoff, saw what he thought was a one-dollar bill on the sidewalk. When he picked it up he found it was a \$1,000 bill. He turned it over to police. If no one claims it, Panoff will get the bill after 90 days.

The length of the Dead sea is 47 miles, and its greatest width is 21 miles and one-half mile; its area is 340 square miles.

Who's Who on Stamps . . . Juliette Low, founder of the Girl Scouts of America, will be honored with a United States postage stamp this Australia, and new stamps show native scenes and map of the islands . . . Peru is issuing stamps for the Olympic Games.



Stamps courtesy Philatelic Section, T. Eaton Co. Ltd., Toronto, and Imperial Stamp Shop, Toronto.

United States issues stamp to publisher William Allen White on July 31.

Ed. Note—If you have any old Canadian, Newfoundland or British North American stamps for sale or exchange write to our Advertising director, Mr. Pratt Kuhn, 120 Wellington St. W., Toronto 1, Ont., who is an amateur collector.

YOU'RE TELLING ME

By WILLIAM HITT
Central Press Canadian Writer

The male of the European species of frogs, says a nature item, guards the eggs. That, naturally, gives him something to croak about.

The moose, some zoologists fear, might become extinct. Maybe, suggests the man at the next desk, that's why the critter always looks so worried.

That Maryland man convicted of beating his wife with a chair, says Hoyt King, sure took a licking from the bench.

New York cops find a \$2,000,000 cache of dope in a city garbage scow. How the smugglers wish they had missed the boat!

A new gadget permits a dentist to sit down while working on a patient's molars. And rare indeed is the specialist who wouldn't cheerfully swap seats with him.

Most men prefer steak, potatoes and pie for dinner. How in the world did those spuds get in there?

Motor cars are built wider and wider. The auto industry, some 50 years old, is beginning to show that middle-aged spread.

From an airplane, a sunken river is plainly visible from the centre of Idaho's Lake Chatolet to the northern shore of Priest Lake.

SOUTH AFRICAN CAT HAS STRANGE HABITS

KLAVER, South Africa.—A cat in this Cape Province town not only doesn't remove her wedding ring in 70 years. So much for wives and wedding rings. But how about husbands? A man who has kept a wedding ring on continuously for a lengthy period is probably a good deal more than the regrettable practice of many husbands to wear their wedding rings when their wives are around and at other times carry the golden band in their coat pockets. Hardly a man who wears a wedding ring because he likes to. He wears it to please his wife. Her reason for wearing him to wear it are both romantic and practical. On the practical side she views the wedding ring as a warning to predatory females that the man is no longer in circulation.

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Handbook Sets Out Rules For Royal Conduct

LONDON.—In the King's lofty, book-lined study at Buckingham Palace is a private handbook containing a comprehensive list of the "dos" and "don'ts" of royal conduct. It is the descendant of a more stringent work compiled during the reign of Queen Victoria and sheds light on the way in which the royal family upholds its prestige at home and abroad.

The rules of conduct cover every aspect of the public life of the King and Queen and the Princesses, but they do not rest entirely on tradition. Periodically they are revised to conform with current ideas and trends. One recent revision permitted Princess Elizabeth to sign letters addressed to strangers, who had sent her wedding gifts, instead of leaving the job to a secretary or lady-in-waiting. Reason for this was that letters signed by royalty have commercial value and, according to the conduct book, "no member of the royal family may be associated with a commercial enterprise."

For the cricketer problems confronting the royal family is that of giving financial support to charities and institutions. The conduct book says their support must not be given until "time and results have proved that the charities are genuine and firmly established."

For the same reason British royalty may not preside at dinners or luncheons held solely for the purpose of raising money to meet national needs.

They must not sign or authorize any direct appeal to the public for funds; nor must they have cheques sent in response to appeals made payable to themselves, or have donations addressed to them.

"Laziness" accounts for many of the defects in speech of Canadians said Mrs. Ayngone, well-known actress and drama section of the Toronto Observatory of Music.

"We don't articulate our t's and d's too well, particularly the final one. We slight them and it takes away from the vigor of the language."

Mrs. Ayngone also said Canadians tend toward harshness of speech, and blamed it on the tremendous pace of life. Rushing, she said, tends to tighten the muscles, so that we speak our words and don't take time to articulate.

The speech record of the British Columbia coast is above the Canadian average in Mrs. Ayngone's opinion. She put forward the presence of many educated English people as a possible reason.

The island of Hawaii is roughly 10,000 miles long and 500 miles wide.

Princess Elizabeth has received unique gift. An embroidered map of this South Atlantic island was recently sent to Princess Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh, by the people here. The "capital" of a previous king who visited here in 1567.

The laurel or cherry is closely allied to the almond and the plum.

ON THE SIDE

—By E. V. Durling

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Fantastic Theories Of Space Travel



Rockets to Moon? Artist Alfred J. Buehner's Conception of Moon Rocket, Inset in V2 Rocket.

WASHINGTON.—Rocket trips to the moon within the lifetime of some of those who read this? That is the striking prediction of some scientific thinkers—not fantasy fiction writers—who now believe it is a definite probability.

A lot of other Canadians also may become convinced that there is such a possibility after they view a spectacular travelling science exhibit which is starting on a swing around the country from the Museum of Natural History in New York city.

It is the memorial exhibit of the work of the late Dr. Robert H. Goddard, pioneer rocket authority. His discoveries were cribbed by the Germans who during World War II started the world with the V-2 rocket.

The Guggenheim Foundation has financed the display which eventually will be permanently installed in the Smithsonian Institution here.

The careful students of Dr. Goddard's research include more than 300 rocket experts and aviation men in the United States, among whom are such flying pioneers as Gen. James H. Doolittle of Japanese bombing fame, and Charles A. Lindbergh.

Flights to the moon seem no more fantastic to them today than did the projected voyages of Columbus and Magellan to explorers five centuries ago.

Awesome Planning
They point to the quipped pace of science and invention today as confirmation of their forecasts that interplanetary travel may become actuality by a half century from now.

The discovery of atomic fission is what really has steamed them up. Whereas the problem of powering a space ship always seemed insurmountable before, they figure that a single significant discovery in how to harness the atom could solve the propulsion riddle.

When Jules Verne wrote his imaginary book about the "Moon Train"—another of that far-fetched novelist's weirdly prophetic glimpses into the future—no one dared even to try to put down on paper exactly what it would take to negotiate the 238,900 miles from the earth to its satellite.

However, even before the discovery of atomic fission, scientists began to do some scientific calculation, and came up with an estimate that a 100-ton space ship would need at least 8,000 tons of gasoline and liquid oxygen as fuel for a moon trip. That settled the matter in the negative for the time being.

Now, however, calculations by some scientists indicate that a few pounds of fissioning uranium 235 would be the equivalent of 10 tons of pre-atomic fuel, and no oxygen would be needed except for breathing by the occupants.

This has led to other awesome planning that reduces moon travel to a process somewhat like an eager vacationer getting down to the specifics of an automobile journey to the mountains.

Roads Mapped
Rocket enthusiasts point out that by maintaining a speed of "only" 175 miles per hour, the moon could be reached in a matter of eight weeks.

The space ship might then try to make a landing, or with side jets might circle the moon and immediately return to safe sanctuary on the earth. It would be a non-stop voyage of about four months!

The intrepid rocketeers hastily add, however, that such a trip would not be simple. There would be the

problem of navigating, for the space ship would have to aim for the moon on the basis of mathematical calculations that would lead unerringly to a junction in outer space.

These are elementary to any astronomer, however, and such "routes" already have been mapped out, not only to the moon, but also to Venus, Mars and other planets.

The first 100,000 miles would be the hardest. There would be the initial thrust needed to free the craft from the earth's clinging gravitation. The plan calls for a relatively slow lift through the 100 miles of relatively dense earthly atmosphere, and then a gigantic push up to more than seven miles a second—12 times faster than an anti-aircraft shell and far speedier than the one-fifth-of-a-mile-per-second record of present jet airplanes.

The space ship would get "over the hump" when it was about 180,000 miles from the earth, for then it would begin to "fall" toward the moon instead of the earth.

Atmosphere Lacking
The "hump" is nearer the earth, but the take-off would be timed for the new moon when the sun's attraction behind the satellite would exert an added tug.

Reverse rockets, working on the same principle as those propelling the craft, would be needed to apply the brakes as the moon was near.

On the return to earth, however, the space ship would have to ease itself into the atmosphere or the friction would generate white-heat, like that of meteors which now are seen glowing as "falling stars" when they bombard the earth from outer space.

The moon would not be a hospitable place. Although only one side of it is ever visible to the earth, astronomers know far more about it than they actually know about the earth itself. They know it has no atmosphere and no life such as earthlings know.

It rotates once in four weeks, and has a four-day week. The lack of atmosphere causes the sun to generate a scorching 400-degree temperature for the two weeks that it shines relentlessly, and then in two weeks of pitch-black darkness, the thermometer would sink to 400 degrees below zero.

Either these discouraging facts are unknown to a number of venture-some Americans, or they choose to ignore them in the face of what they view as growing complications of earthly living, for the department of the interior actually is bothered by people asking to stake out claims to portions of the moon's surface.

First-Hand Contact
Interior department clerks patiently explain that the moon is a territory and "it belongs to everyone."

The planning of the rocket and scientific expeditions to the moon has practical applications of immediate value. It is leading to more specific thinking than ever before concerning what "space" is outside the earth.

This may lead to useful knowledge concerning cosmic rays and other interstellar influences that may more deeply affect life on this planet than has ever been realized.

They know that the old-fashioned idea that "either, or" outer space is

"nothing" is very wrong. Outer space is a teeming area of mysterious rays, electron streams from the sun, cosmic rays from remote places in the universe, and flying fragments. That these would be hazards to the interstellar traveller is an understatement!

Nevertheless, the rocket planners point out that already the earth has made first-hand contact with the moon. Radar has been bounced off the moon. Radar has been bounced off the fragments of the moon, glassy objects called tidbits, regularly fall to the earth near the equator.

The first direct contact from earth to moon, however, probably will be the rate of 2,715 miles per hour, carrying robot instruments collecting the first really definite data as to what the well-equipped rocket traveller of the future may want to take along on his excursion to the moon.

SEEMS REASON ENOUGH
ELIZABETH, N.J. — Albert Deamann, 84, hasn't been getting around as spryly as he used to, and he went to Elizabeth General Hospital to find out why. The doctors found that he had been walking on a broken ankle for two weeks.

Radical Change in Hair Styling Has Come At Last
Interpreting the trend of the day is the new simple coiffure, (left), by Guro of New York. The up-sweep impression is interpreted in loose curls on top of the head with two curls combed out a loose fall over the shoulders. Photo at right features studied irregularity in hair styles for midday. The asymmetrical line is interpreted in soft waves and large soft curls. One side is drawn back behind the ear in waves, while the other is drawn forward on the forehead in waves and the back in a series of large soft curls that fall low on the nape of the neck.

Most women resist a radical change in coiffure fashions, even when women who swoop up a change in dress fashions automatically. But now today, when dresses, hats and accessories are heavily proclaiming femininity, hair follows suit and falls docilely into line. It's short or semi-short, this new hair line, and its soft loose curls worked in a variety of ways. But even with variety, coiffures which have been prevalent in the past look definitely dated. The pompadour, for instance, is out. The strict hair up with the hair's nest of hair at top is out. Out too, is the long bushy mane and the topknot. And with the short hair and loose

Hudson Bay To Greenland

Canada-U.S. Expedition To Study Old Arctic Civilization Of Eskimos

WASHINGTON.—Thousands of years ago the prehistoric Eskimo traversed from Hudson Bay to Greenland, but just what route he took is still a mystery which will be studied this year. Eskimo ruins in the north-northeast Arctic wilderness north of the 70th parallel will be studied by members of an expedition headed by Dr. Harry B. Collins, Jr., United States government archaeologist.

The National Museum of Canada and the United States Smithsonian Institution are jointly sponsoring the trip into the northern portion of the Canadian Arctic archipelago.

The region consists of the now-uninhabited Parry and Sverdrup groups of islands.

For more than a century search parties sent out to look for Rear-Admiral Sir John Franklin, British explorer who disappeared in 1848, have reported many old village sites in the area with ruins of crude stone houses with whalebone rafters.

Some of these old sites apparently are extensive. Several have been reported on Cornwallis Island, 2,000 miles due north of Winnipeg and some 800 miles north of the Arctic Circle.

A combined Canadian-United States meteorological station now is located on Cornwallis Island.

Collins and his assistant, Colin Thacker of the National Museum of Canada, will make their headquarters on the island trip on the island trip on the island trip.

Collins said the Stone-Whalebone type of house is characteristic of the Thule, Scandinavian and Icelandic cultures, the way of life of the prehistoric Canadian and Greenland Eskimo. It is an outgrowth but with wide divergences, from the culture of the first Eskimo inhabitants of the Bering Sea region.

Thule sites are found scattered through the more southerly islands of the Canadian archipelago, he said.

However, their relation to the reported ruins further north remains to be determined. The present Eskimos in the Hudson Bay Basin Island region live in snow houses, and differ in many other ways from the old Thule people who they replaced or absorbed.

Collins believes it is highly probable the Eskimos entered Greenland by way of the Parry and Sverdrup Islands. Cornwallis Island is directly on the Wellington channel, up which they probably passed. This would have been a natural route because of the abundant food nearby. The area contains "caribou and musk-ox as well as sea animals, such as whale and walrus."

He said there are no large whales in the area now, but the whalebone rafters are evidence that the mammals once were abundant in the region.

"The Parry Islands may also have served as another migration route, the one followed by early Thule Eskimos on their original trek eastward to Canada and Greenland," said Collins.

A third but more remote possibility was that the medieval Norsemen, who are known to have gone on long hunting journeys far up the West Greenland coast, may have made casual visits to the Sverdrup and Parry Islands.

Eskimo migrations throughout the northern islands presumably were "in slow stages" by scattered groups over hundreds of years, said Collins, adding he hopes to discover the approximate rate of such movements.

Collins also hopes to determine the reasons for abandoning the villages, so that light can be shed on the mysterious Eskimo history. There have been no native Eskimo inhabitants of the Parry Islands since the 17th century.

Old Favorite Is New
When waiting a glass, dip both the inside and the outside in the hot water at the same time. It is the heating of one side too suddenly that causes a glass to crack.

Is your fault it the hot weather finds you without some crisp cottons—the stores are full of them, tailored for sport, dress-up, for dress-up occasions, and the colors, a whole rainbow to choose from.

To clean aprons, foot stalks in pan of water for 1/2 hour, sand and earth particles will come loose and sink to bottom of pan. Then a swish or two in fresh water finishes the job.

Helpful Hints
Grandma, know—so do you! Make an easy, inexpensive way to what colorful household and personal accessories. Three huck-tweaving designs.

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To obtain this pattern send twenty-five cents in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) to Household Arts Department, Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Avenue E., Winnipeg, Man. Be sure to write plainly your Name, Address and Pattern Number.

RED DEER TO HAVE PULP AND PAPER MILL
RED DEER, Alta.—Reports a \$9,000,000 pulp and paper mill would be constructed in Red Deer were confirmed by real estate agents representing the Alberta Pulp Mills Ltd. The mill will be constructed on 107 acres of land being purchased from the city at a cost of \$100 an acre. It will consume 18,000,000 gallons of water and 7,500 kilowatts of electric power daily.

FIRST DELIVERY OF RYE
WINNIPEG.—First delivery of rye reported this summer has been made from T. Hopkins' farm at Bardsley, Alta. J. R. Almy, railway agricultural agent, said. The shipment weighed 57 pounds to the bushel.

Smile of the Week—
"You can ask one more question," said the almost exasperated father, "the doctor who's taking care of you?" "Well," replied his small son, "when a doctor gets sick and another doctor doctors him, does the doctor doing the doctoring have to doctor the doctor who the doctor being doctor'd wants to be doctor'd or does the doctor doing the doctoring of the doctor doctor in his own way?"

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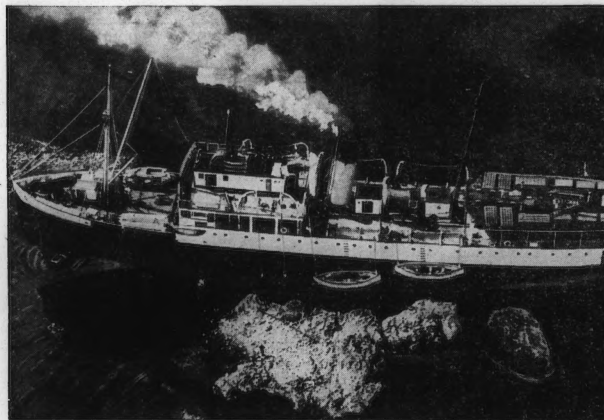


CANADIAN, U.S. INDIANS JOIN IN "FREE" CROSSING PARADE — Indians paraded across the Whirlpool Rapids bridge at Niagara Falls, Ont., in a "free" crossing. Rose Clyde tries on her headdress. Thousands of people attended the Indian celebration. The "free" crossing of the international boundary at Niagara Falls is part of the Indians' ancient rights.

Here Indian chants are followed by a war dance during the ceremonies. Chief Speltwater, 61, is a venerable councillor of the Six Nations. Indians on both sides of the border enjoy the crossing privilege.



WAS IN FATAL CRASH — Less than three weeks after he was in a car crash that took the life of his friend, Jack Parr of Toronto, Ont., was married. Parr, shown with his bride, the former Joyce Richardson of Barrie, Ont., was returning from a stag with Lionel Dancy, who also was celebrating his impending wedding, when the car in which they were riding hit a post on a viaduct.



PULLED FROM REEF, MAKES PORT UNDER HER OWN POWER — Hard aground on a reef, her hull out of the water here, the S.S. Cardena is afloat again after being pulled from these rocks after two previous attempts failed. The ship, with 187 holiday-bound passengers and a crew of 45 aboard, ran aground near False Bay, B.C., in a fog. She returned to Vancouver under her own power.



WOMAN OF YEAR — A woman who came to Canada from England for one year in 1919 and liked it so well she had to stay is Mrs. Nora Arnold, mayor of Prince Rupert, B.C., recently chosen woman of the year by the Canadian Federation of Business and Professional Women's clubs.



SPIRITUAL HEAD OF NIGERIAN YORUBAS IN LONDON — Spiritual head of 3,000,000 Nigerian Yorubas, Oba Aderemi, Oni of Ife, meets two-year-old Ayo Shonkan during first visit to Britain at reception of British Empire society in London. Performing the introduction is the Oni's daughter.



WERE NOT BIG BUT WERE FEARFUL, WE ARE! — Trying out their baby roars, Prince, Princess and Duke howl in unison as they make their public debut at the Bronx Zoo. The two-month-old tiger cubs, offspring of four-year-old Dacca, are the first tiger cubs in the Zoo's history who have been cared for since birth by their own mother.



FATHER DROWNS TRYING TO SAVE SON — Father and son both drowned in the Trent canal when Fred Casey, 14, fell in trying to recover his fishing pole. His father, James Casey, of Detroit, lost his life trying to save his son. Here the drowned man's head can be seen in the water at left as his body is pulled into the boat.



TOY GUN EXPLODES — A .303 bullet left behind when a war veteran vacated a neighboring house, and a home-made toy cannon fashioned from a 30-inch piece of gas pipe, put a 12-year-old Hamilton, Ont., boy in hospital. Mario Montini had the cartridge case removed from his right leg, just above the knee, after the cannon exploded.



SCHOOL PRINCIPAL CONVICTED — Strapped and "manhandled", according to magistrate, by principal of Loring school, near North Bay, Ont., Billy Dobbs, 15, is pictured above. Principal Lloyd Lewis was given year's suspended sentence. Billy was caught smoking. Loring school is shown here. Boy's mother estimates medical expenses were over \$500.



MODEL RECEIVES ARTIST'S FORTUNE — Bulk of the considerable estate left by McClelland Barclay, killed serving as a U.S. navy combat artist, goes to one of his former models, Mardee Foster, it is announced. Barclay was a noted illustrator. Mrs. Foster is now the wife of polo player John "Monk" Foster.

OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

FAMILY FEATHERS

By EUNICE CASSIDY HENDRYX

IT WAS one of those "It seemed like a good idea at the time" sort of things—that was. Of all the women who shouldn't try to be too helpful, a young minister's wife headed the list. Marilee Baxter thought she knew that when she and Roger were married. Now she was sure she knew.

A suggestion, box! That had been her brilliant idea for finding out just what the congregation might offer as a means for improving the service. She had added, "If a young, handsome, and intelligent young minister isn't enough, I'd like to know what more could be suggested."

Suggestions poured in—some amusing; a dozen or more hopelessly antedated; and a few criticisms, constructive and otherwise. Today when Roger brought the week's accumulation home he dumped them on the desk, then stacked them in a neat pile. He opened the one on top. "Let's have more of the good old-time religion," he read and added, "I can guess who wrote that one."

Marilee chose a bright blue envelope. "Get some new and peppier hymns," she threw the note into the air. "Hooray for that one!" she whooped.

"But listen to this." The serious note in Roger's voice restored her dignity. "Quit being the peacock in the family. Buy your wife some new togs and let her be a little strutting." His voice hesitated on the last word, the mean, hateful word.

"Why the—the—" Marilee couldn't think of a term strong enough to express her righteous indignation.

"He's right," Roger contended. "He's He, nothing, some catty old woman. Someone who is miffed because she hasn't made you fall for her, lit bit."

"What kind of reasoning is that? Marilee. And is it complimentary?" he teased. "A catty old woman falling for me. Why not a charming young lady, may I ask?"

He was trying to hide his feelings. Trying to pretend it didn't hurt. "Anyway," he declared, "the person who wrote that is right. You haven't had a decent outfit since we've been married."

"Now who is being complimentary? I've looked like a fright, have I, Roger Baxter?"

Instantly he took her into his arms. He ran his fingers through her short blonde curls. "You know I don't mean that, darling. But you haven't had a..."

"I've had all I needed," she interrupted.

"You should have had a lovely spring outfit this year. A purple dress and a big yellow hat."

"And bright red shoes, I suppose, you fancy?"

"Something bright and swank. Instead, I had a new suit, and hat, and shoes."

"You represented this district at the conference, didn't you? Roger I don't care a fig for that old note. We know why I haven't rigged myself out in all the latest fashions. First there was the baby. I didn't need anything for months before, and I couldn't have thought about fine clothes for months after he left us. Then there was your accident."

"Accident," he scoffed. "A broken little finger."

Marilee added, "And shock and numerous bruises on various and sundry parts of your anatomy. And in case you don't remember, for the past few years clothes have been high and material poor. It was the patriotic thing to do without new finery. Besides," hopefully, "don't you think it a little bit loyal for me to want you to look your best?"

"Be the peacock of the family?" She struggled out of his arms.

"Roger Baxter, if it wasn't for making that old buybody so darned self-righteous, I'd go right down town and buy myself an outfit that would knock your eye out. I may do it anyway."

"Good for you, honey. But, clothes or no clothes, you're the loveliest gal in the world. You do it as you please regardless of anyone's suggestions." He gave her a quick little kiss. "I'm going out and hoe a bit in the garden."

Hoe in the garden. That was the cure-all for any of Roger's troubles. Peacock, indeed! Roger was anything but that, yet all the time she was saving, trying to help him, she was making him appear selfish and vain. What a helper she was.

She picked up the hateful note. Maybe she could recognize the handwriting. The note was typed. Nothing—but, yes, there was something. Two capital letters only, but they were decidedly out of line. Roger's typing. The injured little finger never pressed the shift key quite hard enough.

"A swank new outfit! You, you..."

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Should Have Waited Before Buying Car

EDMONTON.—Fred Sawchuk has two new automobiles, and he got one of them for only \$1. Sawchuk, who operates an Edmonton wedding shop, bought a new car for a holiday trip to the United States. Then the next week he won another at the Edmonton Exhibition.

His estimate of the speedometer reading after six days operation at the fair was the closest of \$4.00.

Fashions



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Only One Emotion Is Easy On Heart

CHICAGO.—Pity your enemies rather than become angry with them, and you will live longer says an eminent heart specialist.

Dr. N. C. Gilbert, professor of medicine at Northwestern University, told volunteer workers in the Chicago Heart Association's 1948 campaign to pity persons refusing to contribute but not to get angry with them.

Heart trouble "may be incited by any emotion except pity," he said. "Anger is the worst enemy of the heart; it causes more anginal pains and attacks than any of the other disturbances resulting from emotion."

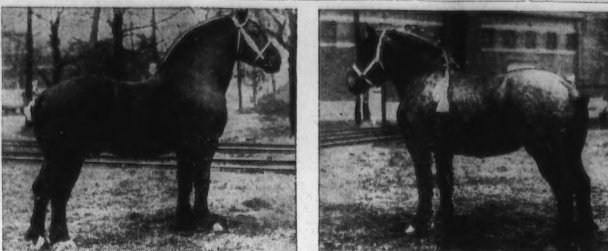
BOAT NECESSARY FOR HARBOR COMMISSION

WINNIPEG.—Winnipeg has a harbor, a harbor commission... but no boat.

This was the situation reported to a city finance committee meeting which hastily recommended the sum of \$2,840 for purchase of a boat to replace the one sunk last year.

Said Ald. Ernest Hallowquist: "There's hardly any point in having a harbor commission if we haven't got a boat."

Queen Anne of England (1665-1714) originated the sweepstake idea for horse racing.



Western Briefs

LETHBRIDGE, Alta.—The lawn-sprinkler technique is being tried out on a vastly extended scale on two district farms. A new portable rotary sprinkler system is of aluminum and its layout of pipes and sprinklers distributes water from irrigation ditches like a city dweller's garden hose.

NEEPAWA, Man.—Fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the Canadian National Railway's station at Hallsboro siding, six miles southeast of here on the Portage-Neepeewa line. The fire, which broke out in the freight shed, spread rapidly and burned the stuccoed building to the ground in about two hours.

YORKTON.—Judging of 13 farm gardens competing in the Yorkton farm garden competition was completed by Prof. D. R. Robinson, Saskatoon, and the garden of Mrs. J. De Vries, with a total of 84 out of a possible 100 points, was awarded first prize.

EDMONTON.—Hereford cattle from Col. Victor Spencer's Earls-court Farm at Lytton, took top honors in their class here. It was the second victory for Spencer cattle announced in a week. Earlier, Calgary Stampede manager Charles Yule had announced cattle from Earls-court led the show there, winning \$620 in prizes.

ESTEVAN, Sask.—Plans are being made to revise the pumping system at the pump-house. The project will cost about \$2,000, but it is believed that the resulting saving in power will justify the installation of the new system.

WINNIPEG.—Western Canada will be unable to meet urgent requests from Ontario for 3,000 farm laborers this summer, according to director H. R. Richardson of the provincial farm help service. He said it was unlikely more than 800 westerners would be available.

SELECTED RECIPES

BANQUET BROWNIES

1/2 cup melted shortening
1/2 cup molasses
1 egg
2 squares melted bitter chocolate
1 cup flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
Few grains salt
1 cup nuts

Sift flour, baking powder and salt together. Mix the ingredients in the order given and beat thoroughly. Spread the mixture evenly on a cake pan that has been lined with oil paper. Bake about 15 minutes in a slow oven (325 deg. F.). Remove the paper from the cake as soon as it is taken from the oven and cut into small squares or strips with a sharp knife.

MACEDOINE SALAD

1 cup cooked carrot, strips
1 cup cooked potato cubes
1 cup cooked string beans
2 tablespoons finely chopped parsley
Shredded lettuce
French dressing

Arrange shredded lettuce on salad plates. Mix vegetables with French dressing. Put a spoonful on each plate. Serve.

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Farmers Can Obtain Year-Round Labor

OTTAWA.—Attention farmers: If you want a year-round hired man you can get him now—and quick.

The labor department says so. In fact it said farm labor immigration from the displaced persons camps of Europe has hit a rate that allows the farmer to have his man two or three weeks after he asks the National Employment Service to find him.

The influx however, is geared to the actual number of known openings. For that reason, the department asked farmers to register immediately their needs for year-round help.

It wants to know just how large the "high demand" for such men is. Then the intake can be adjusted accordingly.

In a number of recent cases, district farmers could have used twice as many Europeans as those who arrived at the local NEP office workers have arrived in Canada from the DP camps. Of these, 15 went to Prince Edward Island; 18 to Nova Scotia; six to New Brunswick; 241 to Quebec; 1,162 to Ontario; 324 to Manitoba; 62 to Saskatchewan; 345 to Alberta; and 12 to British Columbia.

The department emphasized, however, that this situation was separate from the demand for seasonal workers.

Science May Spoil Midway Freak Shows

SASKATOON.—Take a good look at the nearest bearded lady—she may be the last of her kind.

That's the opinion, anyway, of the men in charge of the midway freak show which accompanied an exhibition here.

His complaint is that science is cutting down the number of physical originals in the human race and it may be the supply will be exhausted completely in a few years.

For one thing, medical science corrects many of nature's mistakes at birth and endangers the existence of the show some persons consider the backbone of any midway.

Consequently, any one in the freak business is constantly on the lookout for new attractions.

WOMAN APPOINTED MANAGING EDITOR

PRINCE ALBERT, Sask.—Appointment of Mary Gardiner as managing editor of the Prince Albert, Sask., Daily Herald has been announced by Editor Burton Lewis. Her position is believed senior to that of any other newspaper woman in Canada.

Miss Gardiner joined The Herald in 1942 and in the last two years was city editor and then news editor.

Tuna Fishing Has Become Big Industry

VANCOUVER.—Marine "gold" is just waiting to be mined out beyond the flow of the Juan De Fuca Straits—and British Columbia fishermen are after it.

The gold is a scaly fintail—known to the grocery store buyer as tuna fish and to the men who ply the Pacific's warm blue waters as the "chicken of the sea".

A new industry here, born of the war years, tuna fishing this year is expected to bring a catch upwards of 400 tons. At more than \$600 a ton there's a sound justification for naming the catch "marine gold".

Fish packers here were modest about the early catch already in their warehouses. "Perhaps a few tons," one said. At Victoria the first haul of 5,584 pounds was landed recently.

To the fish expert the "chicken" found off B.C.'s coast belongs to the albacore family, ranging in weight from 11 to 15 pounds.

B.C. tuna fishers, new to the game, are using long lines hook-baited with "feathers". Down South, along the United States' coast, where the tuna game is not new, nets are used.



J. Watson MacNaught, M.P., Parliamentary Assistant to the Minister of Fisheries

Villagers See Ball Games On Home Made Television Set

CEDAR SPRINGS, Ont.—Cedar Spring fans have been watching big league baseball—without leaving their own village—thanks to the genius of Fred Pardo, whose home-made television equipment brings the telecasts from across Lake Erie at Cleveland.

Since he was a small boy, Fred has been a radio enthusiast. He built his first radio receiving set from scrap which included old broom wire and discarded batteries.

Fred has not yet perfected the sound track on his set, but the "silent" reception of baseball games in Cleveland has been a sensation in this part of the country.

MAN WHO DISCOVERED STAINLESS STEEL DEAD

TORQUAY, Eng.—Harry Brearley, 77, discoverer of stainless steel is dead. During experiments on the erosion in gun barrels Brearley got too much chromium in a test piece of steel, tossed it aside, and noticed later it did not rust.

MAJOR INDUSTRY

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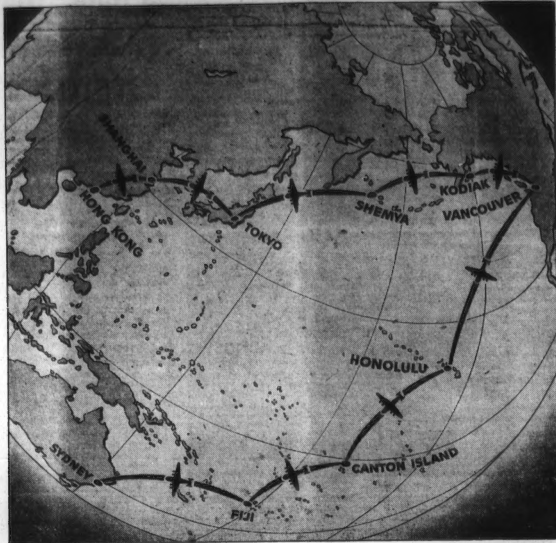
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Canadian Pacific Airlines have been granted permission to start regular passenger and cargo flights over the Pacific Ocean on the two routes shown in this map. These

to routes add a total of 14,420 miles to the regular scheduled airlines of Canada. Adding to the new routes to their system has necessitated some

changes in the set-up of the company with one of the major changes being the moving of the over-haul headquarters from Vancouver to Edmonton.

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RE HOME INSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA

Policyholders of HOME ASSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA are hereby advised that on Monday, the 2nd day of August at the hour of 11:30 o'clock in the forenoon the presiding Judge in Supreme Court Chambers, Calgary, Alberta, granted an Order for the administration of the deposit of HOME ASSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA made with the Provincial Secretary for the Province of Alberta, pursuant to the Alberta Insurance Act and appointed A. G. Burton, resident partner of Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Company, 41 Canada Life Building Calgary as Receiver.

Policy holders are further hereby notified that it is considered as a matter of law that policies of HOME ASSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA are ineffective after the making of the aforesaid order and that no persons are entitled to share in the proceeds of the deposit with respect to claims for losses occurring subsequent to the time the said Order was granted.

All Policy Holders of HOME ASSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA are further notified to file with A. G. Burton, 41 Canada Life Building, Calgary, Alberta, by the 1st day of October A. D., 1948, particulars of all outstanding contracts of, and claims against, HOME ASSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA, duly verified by Statutory Declaration.

A. G. BURTON,

Receiver

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Return: leave destination not later than 12 midnight, Tuesday, September 7th.

Consult C. P. Ticket Agent



M.D. Council Receive Additional Road Grants

At the regular meeting of Council of the Municipal District of Mountain View No. 49 held in Didsbury on Monday, August 18th, a communication was read from the Department of Public Works advising that a \$4,000 one hundred per cent grant had been allocated for the Chemona road; a \$2,000 one hundred percent grant for the road east of Olds; a 6,000 in three-way grants on various roads throughout the municipal district.

The above grants are in addition to the \$20,000 capital grant authorized by the Department in June. Council approved of the granting of a permissive order by the Board of Public Utilities Commissioners for two power projects one known as the Irrigation Rural Electrification Association and the other West Carstairs Rural Electrification Association.

Two hamlet assessment appeals were sustained by council and refusal was given to an application to

establish a Service Station 7 miles west of Olds.

Third reading was given to a by-law pursuant to the Tax Recovery Act providing for the sale of one acre on the S. E. of 17-31-4-3.

A grant of \$100 each was voted to the Didsbury and Olds Agricultural Societies and \$10 to the Sundre School Fair.

A delegation from the Netook area and east appeared before the Council asking that they approach the Department of Public Works in an effort to have them maintain and leave in good repair the road now being used as a detour while the main highway is being re-built.

Approval was given to the granting of a lease to J. R. Phillips for a road allowance south of the diversion in sections 2 and 3 in 3-28-4.

David G. Buckler was appointed poundkeeper and the pound will be located on the east half of section 19-28-3-5.

Sundre Plans Huge Stampede

The big show that used to attract thousands of people to Sundre each year. The Sundre Stampede will be back in action again on September 6th.

Noted for all the thrills of the Old West the Sundre Stampede is the one show that attracted the big and the small. In the old days as we understand it, Sundre used to be wide open at Stampede time but now civilization has made its inroads and now Sundre has a modern highway connection instead of the old horse and buggy road.

Despite these changes there will be plenty of thrills for the lovers of the good old fashioned Western Stampede.

The Stampede starts at 1 p.m. at the new grounds that are situated 7 miles west and 2 miles south of Sundre. This road is all gravel.

There are 12 competitions open to cowboys and would be bronc busters.

Entry fees are being added to the purses.

All roads lead to Sundre on September 6th.

"It's Pool Elevators This Year"

The Alberta Wheat Pool is celebrating its 25th anniversary. The rallying cry is "Make this year a Pool Elevator Year."

Many of the men who participated in the formation of the Alberta Wheat Pool are no longer engaged in farming. The younger generation of farmers may not be so keenly aware of the pressure of circumstances which brought about the Alberta Wheat Pool's formation. Nevertheless, they should realize that the Wheat Pool has been a tower of strength to Alberta agriculture.

Alberta farmers have, over the years, paid for many an elevator system. But Alberta Pool Elevators is the only one owned by Alberta farmers today.

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What To Do For FAINTING

FAINTING is a condition due to sudden failure of the action of the heart, which may be caused by hemorrhage; or by fatigue, want of food, or a close or crowded room; or by fright, dread, sudden bad news, or by sudden relief from fear or anxiety after prolonged suspense.

The signs are: The patient turns giddy and falls; the face is pale; the pulse is rapid and weak, or almost imperceptible; the breathing is quick, sighing and irregular, and the skin becomes cold and clammy.

TREATMENT:—

1. Undo all clothing about the neck, chest and waist.
2. Ensure an abundance of fresh air; open windows and doors; keep back a crowd; remove harmful gases or impure atmosphere.
3. Sprinkle the face with hot and cold water alternately, and apply warmth to the pit of the stomach and over the heart; vigorous friction of the limbs upwards has a stimulating effect. Smelling salts may be held to the nose.
4. If bleeding has been the cause of the condition guard against recurrences. The wound will not bleed to any marked extent while the action of the heart is feeble. The wound must be carefully watched to be sure that bleeding does not recur when the patient begins to regain consciousness and the heart's action improves; or, if there is no wound look for signs of hemorrhage from an internal organ.
5. If want of nourishment has been the cause of the condition give food sparingly at first.
6. Give no fluids or food whatever by the mouth while the patient is insensible.

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